UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

AARON HOWARD, Individually and On Behalf Of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

- against -

THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC., THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, JAMES E. CAYNE, ALAN D. SCHWARTZ, WARREN J. SPECTOR, SAMUEL L. MOLINARO, JR., ALAN C. GREENBERG and JOHN DOES 1-10,

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Defendants.

ESTELLE WEBER, Individually, on behalf of the Bear Stearns Companies Inc. Employee Stock Ownership Plan, and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

- against -

THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC., CUSTODIAL TRUST COMPANY, JAMES CAYNE, ALAN SCHWARTZ, WARREN SPECTOR, SAMUEL MOLINARO, ALAN GREENBERG and JOHN DOES 1-20,

Defendants.

ANTHONY PISANO, individually and on Behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

- against -

THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC., JAMES CAYNE, ALAN D. SCHWARTZ, WARREN J. SPECTOR, SAMUEL L. MOLINARO, JR., ALAN C. GREENBERG, and JOHN DOES 1-20,

Defendants.

08 Civ. 2804 (RWS)

ORDER

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08 Civ. 2870 (UA)

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08 Civ. 3006 (UA)

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HANS MENOS, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

- against -

08 Civ. 3035 (UA)

ORDER

THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC., JAMES CAYNE, ALAN D. SCHWARTZ, WARREN J. SPECTOR, SAMUEL L. MOLINARO, JR., ALAN C. GREENBERG and JOHN AND JANE DOES 1-10,

Defendants.

IRA GEWIRTZ, individually and on behalf of all others similarly situated,

Plaintiff,

- against -

08 Civ. 3089 (UA)

ORDER

THE BEAR STEARNS COMPANIES INC., JAMES CAYNE, ALAN D. SCHWARTZ, WARREN J. SPECTOR, SAMUEL L. MOLINARO, JR., ALAN C. GREENBERG and JOHN AND JANE DOES 1-20,

Defendants.

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Sweet, D.J.,

The motion of Plaintiffs Estelle Weber, Anthony Pisano, and Ira Gewirtz (``Weber Plaintiffs'') for (1) Consolidation; (2) Appointment of Lead Plaintiffs and Leadership Structure; and (3) Entry of Pretrial Order No. 1, dated March 28, 2008, will be heard at noon on Wednesday, April 23, 2008, in courtroom 18C. All motion papers shall be served in accordance with Local Civil Rule 6.1.

It is so ordered.

New York, NY April V, 2008

ROBERT W. SWEET U.S.D.J.